THE STAR PUBLISHES THE LISTS OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE WASHINGTON CITY POST OFFICE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAW DIRECTING THEM TO BE PRINTED IN THE NEWSPAPER HAVING THE LARGEST CIRCULA-TION WITHIN THE DELIVERY OF THE OFFICE. ITS TOTAL DAILY CIRCULATION IS NORE THAN DOUBLE THAT OF ANY OTHER DAILY PRINTED IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA --- The Report of the Secretary of the Interior, which was submitted to Congress to-day, contains a lengthy and interesting chapter on affairs in this District, connected with the General Government operations. The completion of the west wing of the Patent Office building is first noticed, and the Secretary advises Congress, that, to complete the entire edifice, an additional sum of \$50,000 will be required, over the estimated cost, which was \$450,-000. The Secretary then proceeds to give a general idea of what has been done by the General Government toward the improvements of this city, and says that Congress has not been unmindful of the obligations resting upon it, as is evident from the very liberal appropriations which have, from time to time, been made for the embellishment of the national capital. More than twenty-four millions of dollars have already heen expended for public buildings and other purposes, and improvements are now in progress; to complete which, large additional amounts will be required. Besides the public buildings, the United States still retains divers lots, squares and reservations in the city, which, at the assessed value, are worth \$13,412,293 36. Under such circumstances, the people of the whole country must ever feel a deep and abiding interest in the prosperity and progress of their metropelis.

Alluding to the fact that Congress has provided for the good government of the people of the District, by delegating legislative powers to the constituted authorities of Washington and Georgetown, and empowering them to provide for matters of local interest, by levying and collecting faxes, and disbursing the same according to their judgments, the Secretary proceeds by remarking that the past legislation of Congress has been examined to ascertain whether any fixed or determinate line of policy has ever been adopted in reference to objects of appropriation within the city of Washington; what class of improvements Congress has undertaken to make, and what has been left for the city. But the search has been in vain; or, rather, Congress has from time to time made appropriations for almost every conceivable object Public squares and spaces have been improved, streets and avenues graded and paved, lam ps lighted along them and still kept burning, shade trees planted and protected, sewers and drains constructed and kept open, a police force maintained, the portion of the City Hall in which the courts are held paid for, the jait, penitentiary, anfirmary, several engine houses and the armory have been built, and the bridges across the Potomac and Eastern Branch have been erected and kept up by appropriations from the Treasury of the United States.

With this record, it is but natural that the people of the city should turn their eyes to Congress, and not to the city authorities, when any appropriation is needed for additional improvements. Hence, petitions have been presented with the request that, in the regular estimates laid before Congress, items may be included for improving Franklin Square, and the spaces along Pennsylvania avenue, the opening of certain streets, the extension of the City Hall, the érection of a more secure jail, and various other objects. I have not, however, felt at liberty to comply with these requests, but have restricted the estimates to the actual requirements of existing laws, and those usual and regular appropriations which have annually received the sanction of Congress. Yet I am satisfied that if some definite understanding could be reached, by which the corporate authorities could know what expenditures they are expected to make, and what fairly my devolve upon the General Government the future prosperity and improvement of the city would be greatly improved.

This subject, the Secretary acknowledges is enviraned with difficulties; but still he thinks Congress could adopt some intelligible line of policy, which would save the representatives of the people from the frequent complaints of their neglect. The squares and open spaces belong to the United States, and the city authorities have never been empowered to improve them. As they are the property of the Government, any improvements made upon them will inure to its benefit; consequently, they should be paid for by it; and, as soon as the condition of the treasury will admit, I recommend that they all be handsomely improved The opening of streets and avegues, grading, paving and lighting the same, constructing sewers and drains, erecting markets, supporting a police, and whatever may be necessary for the health and cleanliness of the city, properly belong to the city authorities, and the expenses growing out of them should be raised by taxation in the usual manner. Whether the Government, as a property holder, should contribute to these ends is a question which addresses itself exclusively to the discretion of the national legislature.

The addition to the City Hall for the accom-

medation of the criminal court, and the erection of a new jail, are subjects which commend themselves to the attention of Congress. Such buildings are usually erected by the people of the locality for whose convenience they are required, and they are the best judges of the necessity for additional accommodations. There is, however, at present, no means by which the views of the ple of the entire District can be taken in reference to these matters, nor, indeed, for raising by taxation the amount required for the improvements. Under these circumstances, the improvements, if made, should be made at the expense of the General Government; or a law should be passed, creating a tribunal with power to levy the necessary taxes on the whole District to meet the expense, as it would be manifestly unjust to require the people of Washington to defray the entire cost of objects equally used by the people of Georgetown and those living outside the lim-

The Annual Report of the Board of Visiters and the Superintendent of the Asylum for the Insane is referred to briefly; and the Secretary recommends the appropriation of \$76,111 to fin ish the building, as a suspension of the work at this time would involve considerable sacrifice The Annual Report of the President of the Co lumbia Institution for the Education of the deaf. dumb and blind, (which, together with the above, is submitted with the Secretary's report) is also briefly referred to; and the chapter concludes with this paragraph concerning the Peni-

The number of convicts at the close of the year ending September 30, 1857, was 75. On the 30th September, 1868, the number was 108-66 white and 12 colored. The Inspectors are of opinion that they have at length succeeded in effecting an arrangement by which the labor of the convicts will be made to pay the cost of their maintenance, thus relieving the government of all charges for that purpose. If the system, adop ed with that view, should accomplish this much, a great improvement upon the past will have been gained. A fair trial shall, at all events, be made, in order to test its practicability, and under the guidance of our intelligent Board of Inspectors, I have every confidence in its success.

SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE HOTELS .- The usual bustle and activity which characterizes the days preceding the sessions of Congress was observable at the principal hotels during Friday and Saturday of the past week-on Saturday night particularly. Long before the arrival of the train from Baltimore, the balls were crowded at the hotels, making it difficult for the employees to attend to their business, without jostling and offending those who were standing in the passages waiting to see who had arrived. The registers, too, were surrounded by squads of persons, who seemed to be unwilling to give opportunity to others to see the lists, even after they had perused them. After the arrival of the coaches, and the passengers began to enter the halls to the clerks' offices, the anxiety of the crowd to get a glimpse of them was amusing, and at the same time an-noying to those who had duties to perform in the hotels, as well as the tired passengers themselves. The arrivals at the principal hotels were numerous; consequently, they have presented quite a cheerful appearance since. All of them appeared to be illuminated at night, as if every room was occupied; and the crowds of strange faces in the halls and parlors during the day confirms the opinion that nearly all were.

The business at the principal hotels and board-ing houses has commenced, and is increasing, and before the New Year our city will be filled with visitors from all parts of the world.

THE WASHINGTON ARSENAL -In the report of the Secretary of War we find the following it-ms of interest to city readers and the Seventh-warders, more especially :

The grounds heretofore purchased for extend-ing the accommodations of the Washington Arsenal, have been delivered to the government and are enclosed with a slight temporary fence. Suitable buildings for more extensive operations at this place ought to be erected, and it is proper that the plans should be at once adopted which could be gradually completed in the progress of time. Some of the workshops now in use there were erected upon ground recisimed from water, and are very unsubstantial. The walls are giving way and the roofs are sustained in places with props. These buildings are insecure and will become dangerous.

THE LADIES' FAIR now in session at Odd Fellows' Hall affords an opportunity of spending an evening both pleasantly and usefully, and should be libe ally patronized while it lasts.

BEAR IN MIND Strakosch's Italian Opera at Philharmonic Hail to-night. The performance is Rossini's Stabat Mater, and is positively the

CRIMINAL COURT-Judge Crewford .- The Detember term of the Criminal Court commenced this morning, at the room of the Common Council, City Hall, with a pretty full attendance of persons having business pending before it. The following is a list of the panel of Grand Jurors for this term, who were called and duly

George W. Riggs, foreman, Judson Mitchell James Towles, Gregory Ennis, G. Chipman, Buckner Baylis, Wm. I. Stone, sr., Geo. Bohrer, J. C. McGuire, Wm. Orme, Benjamin F. Mid-dleton, Wm. F. Bayly, Enos Ray, Charles R. Belt, Joshua Pearce, John Purdy, Jos. N. Fear-son, Charles L. Coltman, Charles Niehols, Geo. S Gideon, Wm. B. Todd, Dr Thomas Miller, George Mattingly, Hamilton Loughborough. The grand jurors were duly charged by His

Honor, Judge Crawford. The petit jurors were then called, as follows Notley Moreland, Wm. Cleary, Edward H. Edelin, Wm. Flenner, W S Evans, John R. Murray, Thomas Young, John F. Bright, Vincent Masi, David A. Gardiner, Francis Mattingly, John F. Purcell, Wm. Eagan, John B. Ward, Robert K Nevitt, John B Turton, Jno. Van Riswick, John S. Magee, John T. Clements, Peter Berry, James Rhoder, John H. Trunnell, George B. Smith, John R. McGreggor, Wm. Sanderson, Leonidas Bowen, James Murray, Robert H. Watkins, and James S. Barnard.

On motion of W. D. Davidge, Esq., Chas. H. Uttermehle and W. L. Dunlop, Esqrs., were admitted as attorneys and counsellors before the eriminal courts of the District of Columbia, and were duly sworn. The trial docket was being called when our eport closed.

TRIALS AT THE GUARD-HOUSE .- Mary Mortarty, Thomas Bennett, Alfred Green, col'd, drunk and disorderly; workhouse 90 days each. Wm. Carpenter, unlawful assembly; fine and costs, 86 15; Thos Groom, col'd, \$6.15; Jas. Sewell, col'd, do., 90 days; Moses Brown, col'd, Mary Brown. col'd, Eleanor Davis, col'd, 90 days each. John L. Ross, drunk and disorderly; \$3.15, fine and costs. Wm. Booth, carrying weapons; 90 days. Jos. Jenkins, D. Richards, Josephine Taylor,

all colored, drunk and disorderly; 90 days each.
John Stine; disorderly, \$2 15. Wm. Brenner,
D. B. Moran, drunk and disorderly; 90 days each. Wm. Looney and James Keenan; disorderly and profane, 83 15 each. James Pumphrey, 90 days. Arnold Massilla, vagrant, \$2 15 Thomas Hart, Jeremiah Connolly; drunk and disorderly; \$3 15 each. Curtis Rathbun, do, \$2.15. Jas. Johnson, Dennis Burgess, Jane Weir, and Mary Lee, col'd, uniawful assembly; fine and costs, \$6.15 each. Some of the above marked as committed, were retained to give them opportunity to pay the fine and costs. THE GREAT FALLS MANUFACTURING COMPA-

MY .- The case between the United States and the above company in respect to the inquisition for damages came on before Judge Brewer, of the Montgomery County Court, on Wednesday last Witnesses were first examined, and several members of the jury were questioned as to their un-derstanding of the law and the grounds on which they made their verdict. On Friday Mr. Caperton, for the United States, addressed the Court, and was followed by Mr. Carrington on the same side on Saturday. Besides these two gentlemen the United States is represented by Messrs. Ould and Brewer. To-day the counsel on behalf of the Company will commence their reply, and after they have spoken Mr Ould will conclude The Company has eight gentlemen present as legal advisers and advocates, viz: Messrs. Strother, Bouic, Bowie. Pendleton, Lowe, Hayes, and Vincent; Messrs. Scott and Lowe are not present. The arguments will not be closed before Tuesday evening.

[COMMUNICATED. Mr. Editor: Can you inform me the name of the street running from the corner of Louisiana avenue and Seventh street to the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Ninth street? It is generally cailed Pennsylvania avenue, but its numbers do not correspond with those on the Avenue er. Also, the names of the streets bounding Lafayette square on the East, West and South. That on the South is usually considered a portion of Pennsylvania avenue; but an old resident informs me that its proper name is Executive street, and was so written upon former charts of the city. If Commissioner Blake or the city authoritles would cause sign-boards, with the proper names of these streets, to be affixed to the corners thereof, much confusion would be avoided. WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.

THE COLUMBIA TYPOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY -At the meeting of this Society on Saturday evening last, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year : John H. Thorn, Presi dent-re-elected; Joel Brown, Vice President; Wm. R. McLean, Corresponding Secretary-reelected; H. S. Bowen, Recording Secretary-reelected; Michael Caton, Treasurer-re-elected, for the twenty-fourth time.

The forty-fourth Anniversary of the Society will be celebrated on the 3d of January next, when suitable addresses will be delivered, a poem read, a promenade concert of vocal and instrumental music given, and terminating with a ball, the management of which has been entrusted to a committee au fait in such matters.

RIVER .- The steamer Columbia had not arrived at Riley's wharf on her usual trip up to 9 o'clock this morning. It is supposed that she must have been detained in the bay by the fog which prevailed last night. A large lot of furniture addressed to John Mit-

chell has been lying in Riley's warerooms uncalled for for several days. At Magruder & Stone's wharf arrived schr. Ann D , Mott Bedell line, Capt. Newton, with consignments to Washington and Georgetown merchants. Also arrived schr Mary P. Stevens, with 100 tons of coal for Magruder & Stone; and schr. lanthe with 160 tons to same.

Accident .- On Friday night last, a man living on Seventh street, near the Park, was playing with a loaded pistol in the presence of a boy named Wilson, when the weapon was accidentally discharged, the ball rtriking the lad's head, and fracturing the skull, and producing, it was feared, a fatal wound In the absence of the family physician, Dr. Dubammel was called in, and administered to the sufferer. This is but another case of the effect of careless handling of deadly weapons, and should be a warning to all persons in future who are given to this foolish and dan-

AN ISLAND BALL -Our young friends of the Mount Vernon Association propose to make tonight merry, at Island Hall. They are capital hands in the amusement line, and we cordially advise every one who desires an evening full of fun to spend this evening at Island Hall.

THE "OLD FOLKS" are coming! They will be here to-morrow night, at Philbarmonic Hall, thirty-seven in number, with their grand orchestra, all clad in the costumes of a hundred years ago, and representing the "home circles" of Fireside Rehearsals" of the same date.

THE THEATRE. -To-night is the opening night of the regular season, under the auspices of the regular managers. The performance is Lytton's play of "Money," in which Mr. Chas. Fisher, the favorite New York actor, makes his first appearance in this city.

THE POLICE REVIEW .- The police, auxiliary guards, and special police, assembled at the City Hall this morning for their regular monthly review by the Mayor; after which they returned to their beats.

LOOK AT the Alphabetical Business Directory

OPERATIONS ON TEETH, of the most difficult and intricate nature, performed with the greatest skill and accuracy by M. Loowis, Dental Surgeon, 3% Penn. avenue, between 9th and 10th sts.

FOCKET DIARYS FOR 1859-Fine assortment at ADAMSON'S New Store, on 9th street, near Pena-avenue. Only 18 cents for Harper's Magazine. Four cents each for the New York Ledger, Flag. Mercu-ry, and Weekly. Fine Letter Paper for 8, 10, and 12 cents a quire. Three and four cents a package for

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MARRIED.

On Thursday evaning, November 25, by the Rev. Dr. Norwood, of Georgetown, at the residence of Luther R. Smoot. Fsq., of this city, Mr. J. COURTHOPE LAWTON, of Virginia, to Miss NELLIE A. LAUB, of Washington.

DIED,

On the 6th instant, at 8% o'clock, a.m., ALMER-ICUS ZAPPONE, aged 4 years and 6 months. He was the eldest son of A. Zappone, Professor of Languages, for many years a resident of this only. The funeral will leave his father's residence, No. 13 Pennsylvania avenue, First Ward, To-Morrow

GEORGETOWN. Correspondence of The Star.

GEORGETOWN, Dec. 6 1888 We learn that our esteemed young fellowtownsman, Mr. Harvey Bautry, has consented, upon the solicitation of a number of friends, to give readings from Shakspeare and other authors for the benefit of the female free school under the charge of the ladies at the Convent of the Visitation. The time appointed for the reading is Thursday evening, the 16th inst. If, as we sincerely hope will be the case, our esteemed young friend shall be encouraged by anything like a full house, his services will again be given for the benefit of similar charitable purposes. Mr. Bautry is well known to many of our citizens, having been not only educated, but we might say, reared in our midst; he is a gentleman of many excellent qualities, and possessed of rare accomplishments, and we hope that his first public effort to gratify his friends, and push forward a noble enterprise, will meet with that kind of encouragement it deserves.

Don't forget the lecture, this evening, by our

excellent fellow-citizen, Mr. John T. Bangs. His theme for the occasion-Nature-is certainly a very prolific, as well as pleasing one; and we have no doubt that all who attend will be both leased and instructed. The mud-the mud! Did you ever see our

streets so muddy before? is the universal inquiry. Bear it patiently is our advice. They have never yet been so bad but that they might be

Our young friends of the Dumbarton street M E Sabbath School are busy making preparations to give us. some time during the Christmas holdays, another of their very interesting concerts. Arrivals-Schrs Prima Donna, Riddick, Philadelphia, coal to C. Myers & Son; John H. Jones, same port, coal to Dickson, Gordon & Co; Drucilla, Mercer, Plymonth, N. C , with shingles to

F. Wheatley.
Things about the coal wharves this morning locks quite lively. A large brig and several schooners are taking in cargoes for northern and eastern ports; and quite a number of boats are discharging cargoes.

No change has occurred in the flour market since our report of Saturday. Sales of some 4,000 to 6,000 bushels of good red and white wheat at \$1.20a\$1.30. Same inferior qualities have been disposed of at lower figures. No sales of old corn making. Sales of new in the ear at \$3a3 25 per

## ALEXANDRIA. Correspondence of The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Dec. 6, 1858. The saloon of Liberty Hall was crowded on Saturday night, on the occasion of a stump discursion between Hon. Wm. Smith and Henry Shackelford, candidates to represent the Seventh Congressional district of Virginia in the next Congress of the United States.

Mr. Shackelford opened the discussion, and offered to divide time with Gov. Smith. Gov. S. responded, that until the 4th of March next be was the representative of the district; that before his term closed he was attacked, and he was there only to repel whatever charges might be brought against blin; consequently, he was willing to let Mr. Shackelford speak as long as he pleased him, and would follow, if time permitted, on the same evening; if not, on Monday.

Mr. Shackelford then opened, crtticising the course of the Governor since his return from California in 1853, remarking upon what he charged were his Know Nothing affinities in 1855, and quoting positions assumed by him at the last Congress as antagonistic to those he took in 1855. The Governor's course on the Deposit question, on the application of "rotation" to the Alexandria Custom House, and his refusal to unite with the Democratic caucus of the House of Representatives, were all commented upon in an able address which occupied a couple of hours.

Governor Smith responded, and went into on his position in 1853 and 1855. He said that Mr. Shackelford was barred from objecting to his (Smith's) course by the fact that in 1853, 1855 and 1857, Mr. Shackelford had voted for him, and thus backed him up in his position. The Governor defended his position as to the Democratic caucus and the Deposit question, and explained that be only advised " rotation" in the Alexandria Custom House because he believed it was demanded by a majority of the Democrats of the city. The reply occupied some two hours, and was, as Mr. Shackelford's speech had previously been, warmly applauded. The County Court of this county opened its

fall term this morning. Among the cases that come up for examination will be the trial of John Murphy for the murder of his wife. The whole number of marriage licenses granted in this county during the month of November was eight.

The new hall of the Young Catholic's Friend Society will be ready for occupancy in about ten

GEORGETOWN ADVERTISEM'TS.

A COURSE OF SPLENDID LEC-TURES.—On next THUUSDAY EVE-NING, the 9th instant, the Hon. David Paul. Brown of Philadelphia, will deliver the first of a series of Lectures in the Methodist Protestant Church, Georgetown, D. C., commencing at 80 clock p. m. Subject: "The force of Character and the Value of 1 ime."

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A. GREEN, Auct.

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Why is there such an unprecedented rush to H. KING'S? Because the ladies are not slow to find out the largest and most splendid selection of goods ever before opened in the From the unprecedented encouragement and large sales aloes our opening, I have the pleasure to announce that I have just received a new imported stock of BONNETS. ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, RIBBONS, and the greatest assortment of ORNAMENTS. HEAD DRESSES, in

styles surpassing, for beauty and elegance, any ever PARTICULAR ATTENTION of the ladies is called to new styles of CLOAKS, SHAWLS. FANCY GOODS. DRESS TRIM-MINGS, EMBROIDERY, LACES, all of new

FITTING AND MAKING DEPARTMENT. I have made arrangement to defy all competition by employing an eminent practical artist in the Fit-Prices always moderate, and satisfaction guaran-

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W HAT EVERY BODY SAYS MUST BE Every body says that cheapest Hats, Caps, Boots, and Gaiters sold in the city. The very best Dress Hats, of the latest New York styles, at \$3.50, cqual to any at \$4; and the best \$3 and \$2.50 Hats in the District; all of the latest style. As to the fine Caliskin Boots, perged or sewed, at \$3.75, that I have been selling for the last four years, more than tan thousand gentlemen can testify to their being the best they have ever had at any price. Be-ing a practical shoemaker myself, I sell nothing in the Shoe line but what I know to be good. I know

of no better proof of my Boots being good and cheap than te know that the Boot-makers of the city buy them to sell again. If any one doubts it, I will bet \$1,000 to \$500 that I can prove it. Gentlemen's Rubber Overshoes of the best qual-Terms cash. No extra profit to offset had debts. Practical Hatter and Shoe-Maker,

7th st., oppo. Avenue House. 500 BUSHELS OF CARTER POTATOFS instructived and for sale by THOMAS B. CRFIGHTON, Agent, Louisians avenue, between de 3-3t

WEBER'S CORNET BAND.

LEWIS WEBER, Leader, furnishes Music for Rails, Private Parties, Parades, Serenades, Funerals, etc., at the shortest notice. Orders left at Metzrott's Music Depot, Mr. Gautier's left at Metzrott's Music Research at Metzrott's Metzrott's Metzrott's Music Research at Metzrott's Metzrott Confectionery Store, or at the residence fine leader, 569 7th street, Navy Yard, between 6 and I. will be promptly attended to. de 3-3m

DLAYING CARDS, CHESS MEN, DOMI noes, Dies and Cups. Backgammon Boards Visiting Cards, Mathematical Instruments, Draw ing Paper, Faber's Pencils, Portfolios, Portmon-naies, Warrin's Telegraph Needles, Pens Ink, Paper, and involopes—a good assortment just received and for sale wholesale and retail by E. K. LUNDY,

de 3 lw 330 Pa. av., National Hotel Building. L'INE WHITE SHIRTS AT \$1.25.

We have on hand a very good article of SHIRT at \$1.25, equal to those that sell for \$1.50a\$1.75.

NOAH WALKER & CO., 368, Browns' Hotel. DUBANT'S



RESTAURANT. PETER M. DUBANT respectfully informs the public that his celebrated Restaurant, at the southwest corner of Penn. avenue and Sixth street, was never in better condition tha just now. Gourme's will find in it an assortment of GAME. FISH, and OYSTERS unsurpassed in any other similar establishment in the world, while

his Fish and Oysters, to say nothing of his famous Steaks, Chops, Soups, &c., have really no competition anywhere within one hundred miles of his I Tovers of capital Segars and genuine Wines and Liquors will always find them at Dubant's in great variety and of indisputable quality. de 1-2w

FINE HAVANA CIGARS, at various prices just received at MOORE'S West End Drug Store, 113 Pa. avenue, south side.

FINE TOILET SOAPS-Lubin's, Low's, leaver's, and other makes-for sale at MOORE'S West End Drug Store, 113 Pa. avenue, south side. GENTLEMEN'S DRESSING ROBES OF

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Traveling SHAWLS or MAUDS, some of the argest size made. Our assortment of Gentlemen's UNDER-GAR-MEN'IS, always large, is now in greater variety Our assortment of Gentlemen's "BELONG-ING" is complete in every department. Large additions made in past few days.

Buying exclusively for cash, and our long experience in trade, (20 years in the same place,) and wishing to increase our cash sales, we offer the largest

stock of first-rate goods at the lowest prices, at STEVENS' Salesroom, Browns' Hotel. BY THE IAUTHOR OF PETER SCHLE-MIHL.-Future Life, or Scenes in Another World, by George Wood, author of "Peter Schie-mini," "Modern Pilgrims," &c ,1 vol.,; price \$1. While it Was Morning, by Virginia Townsend, 1 vol.; price \$1.

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English Surnames and their Place in the Teutonic family, by Rob't Ferguson, author of the "Northmen in Cumberlaud and Westmoreland," I vol.

How we are Governed, or the Crown, the Senate, and the Bar, a handbook of the Constitution, Government, Laws and Power of Great Britain, by Albany Fonbianque, Jr., Esq., I volume, London, For sale by FRANKLIN PHILP, de 4 Bookseller, 332 Pa. av., bet. 9th and 10th sts.

PROF. FLLSLER'S MAGNETIC WASHING COMPOUND.—The very best Compound for Washing ever used. It is cheap and reliable, and will save both time and money. One trial will convince any one of its superiority over any other Washing Compound ever offered to the public. Price for trial bottles, containing enough for three large washings, only 12 cents. Manufactured and for sale at No. 496 Penn avenue, up stairs. de 4-3t\* Oll CASKS,-Fourteen empty Oil Casks, in good order, for sale by KING & BURCHELL,

Corner Vermont avenue and 15th st.

AUCTION SALES

TO-DAY & TO-MORROW MORNING By WALL & BARNARD, Auctioneers. \$10.000 WORTH OF DRY GOODS AT NING we will commente selling a large and well-assorted stock of Dry and Dress Goods from New York; to be sold we hout reserve, in store No. \$53 Pennsylvania avenue, opposite Browns' Hotel.

The sale will be continued Every Morning, Afternoon and Evening until the whole stock is disposed of.

The assortment comprises Dress Goods of all patterns, new and fashionable styles, in Silk, Bombasin, Merino, Mousselaines, Plaids, Alpaccas, & c. A great stock of handsome Wool, Stella, and other

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings,
With Black and Brown Cottons, Flannels, Embroideries, &c. All of which will be sold without reserve, in lots A deduction of 2 per cent, in all bills of \$25 and

The ladies are invited to attend.

No damaged goods will be sold. Every article WALL & BARNARD, Auots.

By WALL & BARNARD, Auctioneers. BUILDING LOT IN THE FIRST WARD AT AUCTION.—On MONDAY Afternoon. Dec. 6, at 4 o'clock, in front of the premises, we shall sell Lot No. 11, in Square No. 12, fronting 43% feet on 26th street west, and running back 100 feet between D and E. atreets north and is streets north.

Terms: One fourth cash; residue in 8 and 12 months, with interest, and secured by a deed of

de l-ts WALL & BARNARD, Aucts. By J. C. McGUIRE & CO., Austioneers. DOSITIVE AND UNRESERVED SALE OF WARD.—On THURSDAY A TERNOON, December 2d, at 4 o'clock, at the auction rooms, we shall sell, without reserve—Square No. 307, fronting respectively on Vermont avenue, 12th street west, and north S street, and

containing 30,760 square feet. Square noth of Square No. 334, fronting respective ly on Vermont avenue, 11th street west, and Lorth F street, and containing 11,429 square feet. These small squares are well located in the north-ern part of the Second Ward, toward which improve-

erh part of the Second ward, toward which improve-men's are rapidly approaching, ard they must, in a short time, become very valuable. Title unques-tionable. Sale without reserve. Terms: One-third cash; the residue in 6 and 12 months, with interest, secured by a deed in trust on the aremises. on the premises
no 29 d J. C. MoGUIRE & CO., Aucts. THE ABOVE SALE IS POSTPONED Intil MONDAY, Dec. 6th, same hour and place. de 3 d J. C. McGUIRE & CO., Auct'rs.

By A. GREEN, Auctioneer. EXTENSIVE SALE OF CHINA. GLASS, AND CROCKERY WARE AT AUCTION. - OF THURSDAY MORNING, 2d of December, I shall sell, in front of my auction rooms, on the correr of 7th and D streets, at 10 o'clock, the largest and most complete assortment of Crockery Ware ever offered for public sale in this city. I name in part—25 sets of White China and Blue Sprig Tea Sets,

le hne China Punch Bowls, 5 do. do. Card Baskets. 300 dezen Pressed Glass Tumblers, all patterns, Cut Decarters,
Pressed Celeries and Spoon-holders,
Pressed Egg Cups and Jelly Glasses
do. Wine and Changagne Glasses, do. Wine and Champagne Stone China Plates, all sizes,

Soup Tureens, do. Pickie Leaves. do. Stone China Dishes. do. 150 sets Stone China Cups and Saucers, 125 do. Stone China Chamber Ware, Soap Dishes, Brush Boxes.

Pitchers. of various descriptions, With a large lot of other articles in the Crockery line, which I deem unnecessary to enumerate. Terms of sale: All sums under \$25, cash; over \$25, acredit of thirty, sixty, and ninety days, for notes satisfactorily endorsed, bearing interest.

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A. GREEN, Auct.

THE ABOVE SALE IS POSTPONED

n consequence of the rain, until TUESDAY, the

th inst., same hour and place.
de 3 d A. GREEN, Auct'r. By A. GREEN, Austioneer. HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNI-TURE AT AUCTION.—On TUESDAY MORNING, the 7th instant, I shall sell, at the res-

idence of a gentieman declining housekeeping, on Maryland avenue, betw. en 6th and 7th streets, commencing at 10 o'clock, a general assortment of Fur Mahogany Softs, Spring seat Chairs, Rockers,
Do. Centre Tables and Bureaus,
Bedsteads, Chairs, Washat ands, Toilet Sets,
Carpets, Matting, Oiloloth,
Cotton and Shuck Mattresses.

Dining and other Tables, Cooking, Chamber, and other Stoves, Crina, Glass, and Crockery Ware, With a general assortment of Kitchen Requisites, and other articles, which we deem unnecessary to enumerate.

A. GREEN, Auct.

FUTURE DAYS. By C. W. BOTELER, Auctioneer. LE OF EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD MORNING, December 4th, commencing at 10 o'clock, I shall sell, at No. 529 H street, between 6th and 7th streets, a large collection of superior house. hold furniture, being the effects of a select private boarding house, consisting in part of, viz: Handsome Carved Mahogany Sofas, Handsome Carved Mahogany Sofas, Mahogany Parlor Table, with marble top, Carved Mahogany Spring-seat Chairs, Handsome Mentel and Table Ornaments,

Superior Tapestry, Brussels Carpeting.
Mahogany Reclining Chair, covered with morocco,
Do. Sofa Table, with marble top.
Walnut Etegere. Mahogany Rocker, Handsome Cottage Reception Chairs, covered with damask,
Window Shades, Damask Curtains and Cornices,
Mahogany Hat Rack, superior Barometer,
Fine Mahogany Extension Dining Table,
A large and fine assortment of China, Glass, and

Crockery Ware.
Table Cutlery, Plated Castors, Plated Spoons, Forks, and Table Furniture generally. Oak Dining room Chairs, Drugget.

ep and Chamber Carpeting, Makogany and Walnut French and Cottage Bed-Wardrobes, superior Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds, Bolsters and Pillows, A large collection of fine Biankets, Comforts, Sheets, Counterpanes, &c.

Mahogany Dressing Bureaus, with marble top, Mahogany and other Washstands Looking-glasses, Superior Wainut Lounges, covered with morocco, Superior Wainut Lounges, covered with morocco Shower Bath, Tables, Sola Bedsteads, Toilet Sets, excellent Refrigerator. A large and superior Radiator, Two very five Cooking Stoves and fixtures, Parlor Cook and other Stoves for wood and coal, Kitchen Furniture, Cooking Requisites &c.

The attention of persons furnishing is partieular ly called to this sale, as the articles are of good quality and in excellent condition.

Terms: 330 and under cash; over that sum a credit of 60 and 90 days, for approved endorsed notes, bearing interest.

C. W. BOTELER, Auct. THE ABOVE SALE IS UNAVOIDAde 4-1 C. W. BOTELER, Auct'r.

By WALL & BARNARD, Auctioneers. BAILIFF'S SALE. - By virtue of an order of disb train from Angelica Simpson, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Marcus Hook, for rent due and in arrears, I have seized and taken the following goods and chattels, and will sell the same at public auction on THURS-DAY, 2d December, at 10 o'clock, in house No. 380 on Estreet between 18th and 18th touse No. 380 DAY, 2d December, at 10 o'clock, in house No. 390 on E street, between 10th and 11th streets, to wit: 1 Mahogany Sofa, 1 Marble top Centre Table, 2 Carpets, 7 Window Shades, 1 Gilt frame Mirror, 1 Arm Chair. 1 Rug. 1 Hat Rack, 1 Hail Carpet. 1 Hall Oilcloth, 1 Carpet, 1 Cottage Set (4 pieces.) 8 Mahogany Chairs, 1 Stove and Fireboard, 1 Hair Mattress, 1 Writing Table, 1 Fender and Fireboard, 1 Washstandand Set, 1 small Rocker, 1 small Bureau, Lot Stair Carpet, 1 Wardrobe, 2 large Bedsteads, 1 Single Bedstead, 1 Washstand, 1 Clock, 1 Towel Rack, 1 Marble top Beaufet, 1 small Rocker, 1 Caneseat Arm Chair, 5 French Caneseat Chairs, 1 Coal Stove and Fireboard.

E. A. HARROVER, Bailiff. WALL & BARNARD, Auots. IIT- THE ABOVE SALE IS POSTPONED until THURSDAY MORNING, Dec. 9th, at 10 By order of the Baihff.
E. A. HARROVER.
WALL & BARNARD, Auct'rs.

MARSHAL'S SALE.—In virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued from the Clerk's Office of the Cirouit Court of the District of Columbia for the county of Washington, and to me directed. I will expose to public sale for cash, in front of the Court House door of said county, on MONDAY, the 29th day of November, 1858, at 12 o'clock m, the following described property, to wit: All defend ant's right, title, claim, and interest in and to Lots 7 and 9, in Square No. 378, in the city of Washington, D. C., together with all and singular the improvements thereon, several and isystempon as the provements thereon, seized and levied upon as the property of Peter Force, and will be soid to estisfy Judicial No. 38, to March term, 1855, in favor of John W. Maury and al, surv., and for use of Robert Farnham's heirs.

J. D. HOOVER, Marshal for the District of Columbia THE ABOVE SALE IS POSTPONED until MONDAY, the 13th day of December next, 1858, same hour and place. Late Marshal for the District of Columbia.

By A. GREEN, Auctioneer. HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FUNITURE AT AUCTION.—On Fhilday, the 16th instant, at 10 o'clock a. m., I shall sell, at the residence of a gentleman declining housekeeping, No. 18 north A st., immediately in front of the Capitol Grounds, a good and well selected Stock of Furniture. I name in

Mahogany Sofas, Spring-seat Chairs,
Do. Castor and Arm curved do.,
Do. Marble-top Centre and Pier Tables,
Do. French Roll board Bedstead,
Do. Card and Dining Tables,
Gilt-frame Pier Glass Sea Do. Card and Dining Tables,
Gilt-frame Pier Glass Stand,
Bedsteads, Cane and Wood-seat Chairs.
Marble top Washstands, Toilet Sets,
Fine Feather Beds, Boister and Pillows,
Hair. Cotton, and Shuck Mattresses,
Comforts, Quilts, Blankets, and Counterpanes,
Sheets, Pillow Cases and Toweling,
Carpets, Oilcloth and Matting,
Cooking Chamber, and other Stoves,
China. Glass and Crockery Ware,
Also a large lot of Kitchen Requisites.
Terms: All sums under \$30, cash: over \$30, a
credit of \$0 and 60 days, for notes entisfactorily endorsed, with interest,
de 3-d THE LATEST NEWS

By Telegraph for the Evening Star.

Reception of Judge Douglas at New Orleans. New ORLEANS, Dec 3 -Senator Douglas, accompanied by his lady, has arrived in this city, and been very hospitably received, though without any special evidence of enthusiasm as yet. He pays a visit, by invitation, to the St Charles theatre this evening, and to-morrow will give a formal reception to his friends and those who may wish to pay bim a visit.

Preparations are on foot for a dinner to the distinguished great-the chief movers in which are the fire-enting friends of Pierre Souie-a good number of Whigs and some Americans. The Democrats, or adherents of the administration propose to hold quite aloof from the affair or any other movement in connection with the 'Little Giant."

The Virginia Democratic Convention.

PETERSBURG, Dec. 4 .- The convention reasembled at 11 o'clock, a m, when it was reported that Mr. Letcher's vote was 85,532, or 17,520 majority over all the others. His nomination was then declared unanimous. Mr. Gordon, of Alber-marle, Wise, and other bitter opponents, pledged themselves to do everything to secure Mr. Letcher's election.

John Randolph Tucker was nominated for sttorney general by acclamation, and after some discussion, Mr Montague, of Essex county, was nominated for Lieutenant Governor. The convention then adjourned.

The Echo Slave Base. COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 4 .- To-day the prisoners in the Echo case, sixteen in number were brought before the Federal court on a habeas corpus, on a motion by their counsel that they be discharged from custody. The district attorney made a couner motion that they be remanded to jail to await

future action of the grand jury.

Arguments against the constitutionality of the law of 1820 were made up Messra. Spratt and Gregg. District Attorney Conner replied in an argument of conceded force, soundness, and eloquence. A further hearing was postponed until

The South Carolina Legislature.

COLUMBUS, S. C., Dec. 4 .- Mr W. D Porter, of Charleston, was to-day elected president of the Senate in place of Mr. Chesnut resigned. Resclutions were yesterday introduced into the House instructing the representatives of South Carolina in Congress to use all efforts to secure the repeal of all measures of the general government re-strictive of the slave trade, the same being in de-

with Havana edvices of the 30th, has arrived here Her general news is unimportant. Sugars w-re unchanged. The stock on hand is estimated at 60,000 boxes, which will be carried off in about one week. Exchanges on London, 113%; on New York, 103%. Freights are inactive and vessels awaiting the new crop.

Fatal Accident. DATION, Ohio. Dec. 4 .- A man named T. Fennel was killed last evening by the bursting of a drying cylinder in Willard & Wheaton's paper mill. His head was blown off and his body horribly mutilated. He leaves a wife and one child

BALTIMORE, Dec. 6 .- Flour is dull and un

Milis held at \$4 75 Wheat advanced 3a5c. Corn unchanged; white 58a62, yellow 61a66c. Provisions steady—bacon, shoulders 7 427 4; sides 9 429 4; hams 10213c. Lard 10 4211c. Whisky is quiet at 25 % a26c

New York Markets. New York, Dec. 6 .- Flour generally bas slightly declined; State \$4.20a4 40; Ohio \$5 35a

\$5 45; Southern \$5.00as5.40. Wheat is very dull. Pork is firm; mess \$17 80a17.75. Lard is dull at 11 % at 13%.

Whisky is fi m at 25c.

CASHIONABLE DANCING.

Gentlemen's classes on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, at 8 o'clock. For particulars inquire at the Hall on the above

35 barreis No. 1 and 3 MACKEREL.
25 quarter barrels and kitts do, MACKEREL.
300 prime SALMON.
100 bar els ALEWIVES.
50 barreis Newfound and HERRING.
50 baxes SCALE DHERRING.

127 COFFEE, TEA, AND SUGAR.
BAGS Mocha, Java, Maiaicabo Laguyra
and RIO COFFEE,

30 barrels Lovering Crushed and Pulverized SU-GARS 30 barrels Band C Soft Crushed SUGARS, together

Just received and for sale low by SAM'L. BACON & CO. de2 6t corner of 7th s'. and Penn. avenue.

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500 ibs. soft shelled ALMON 550 ibs CURRANTS. 10 boxes MACARONI, 10 do. VERMACELLI, 15 do. CITRON. ALMONDS,

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Meal, Ship Stuff, Bale Hay. Corn. Brown Stuff, Cut Hay.
And Oats, And Shorts, &c., &c., &c.
Bancroft's celebrated Buckwheat in sacks of 12
pounds, and Weer's best Family Flour in sacks.

The Storekeepers who retail any of the above Stuffs will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

MISS. M. A. LOCKE Respectfully informs her friends, ladies in general, and strangers visiting Washington that she has opened a new mode of DRESSMAKING in all its branches at the Columbia Piace, corner of 7th street and Louisiana avenue. The latest style of Winter patterns just received from New York. The patronage of the ladies is solicited. Terms moderate.

WANTED-2 good Bressmakers and 2 or 3 Apprentices.

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Georgetown.
JAMES C. MoGUIRE, President.
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THE AUTOCRAT OF THE BEERKFAST TABLE, by Oliver Wendell Homes; p. ice \$1. Just published and for sale at PHILP'S Bookstore, no 17 322 Pa. ave., bet. 9th and 10th sts,

rogation of the rights of the South. They were ordered for consideration to-day. Later from Havara. NEW YORK, Dec 6 -The steamer Cahawba

Delaware and Hudson Divideud.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4 .- The board of directors of

the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company have

this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 3% per cent. This is the same reduced amount as was declared in June last, and is a material falling off from the former dividends of 10 and 12 per cent per annum.

The mill was considerably damaged Baltimore Markets.

changed; Howard street and Ohio \$5.12%; City

Corn is firm; mixed 76a77; white 76a78.

Financial. New York, Dec. 6 -Stocks are lower. Chicago and Rock Island 62; Illinois Central shares 74 %; do. bonds 91%; Michigan Southern 21%; New York Central 83%; Reading 50%.

Prof. H. W. MUNDER most respectfully and an appearance to the citizens and public generally of the citizens and quarter of inof Washington that his second quarter of in-structions in the shove beautiful and neces-sary accomplishment will commence on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 2d, 1858, at Temperance

Classes at the Union Hotel, Georgetown, every Wednesday, at 3% p. m. CODFISH, MACKEREL, SALMON, ALE-3,500 he Grand Bank COUFISH

Just received and for sale by SAM'L. BACON & CO.

63 half chests Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Souchong, Powchong, and Octong TEAS, from low price to fine qualities, all of fresh importa-

with a full and complete assortment of Groce

NEW EATING At 45 F Street. Three doors east from 7th. This Saloon will be opened on Wednesday, Dec. 1st. and will be under the care of experienced and well-known cooks. Every delicacy of the markets and season will be furnished to those who may fovor

desired.

[] Families can be supplid with Oysters of the

PAISINS, ALMONDS, CURRANTS, &c. 50 boxes Layer and M R RAISINS, 40 half boxes 80 quarter boxes

25 barrels Winter Pippin and Gillyflower At-25 barrels Winter Pippin and Gillyflower At-PLES, PRUNES in fancy boxes, COOKING PRUNES, in kegs, CREAM NUTS, PECAN NUTS, &c. Just received from New York, and for sale low, SAM'L. BACON & CO.

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FLOUR AND FEED STORF.
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Also, Stands in Centre Market on 7th street, and
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TO THE LADIES! Having just returned from New York with the largest, finest, and best selected took of FURS ever exhibited in Washington, I now solicit the attention of all in want of such articles to an examination

of my stock, which will always be shown with pleacure, at the Reinble Fur Store. I do not wish to
caumerate the many kinds on hand, but rather every
one should call and examine for themselves at
HOPKINS'S Bazzar,
Sign of the White Bear, corner of
6th street and Pa, avenue.

A. GREEN, Auct,